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## PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

To the Commissioner for Patents:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of: Robert B. Pigford and Mark T. Vogeler for: FASTENER EXTRACTOR.

Enclosed are:

- ☒ 10 sheet(s) of drawings, 17 pages of application (including title page), and the following Appendices: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☐ Declaration.
- ☐ Power of Attorney.
- ☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.
- ☐ Assignment transmittal letter and Assignment of the invention to: \_\_\_\_\_
- ☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: "This application is a continuation-in-part of U.S. application serial number 10/051,351, filed January 18, 2002, pending, which is incorporated in its entirety herein."

Claims as Filed	Col. 1	Col. 2
For	No. Filed	No. Extra
Basic Fee		
Total Claims	41-20	21
Indep. Claims	3-3	0
Multiple Dependent Claims Present		

\*If the difference in col. 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in col. 2.

Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 375
x\$9=	\$
x\$42=	\$
+\$140=	\$
Total	\$

or  
or  
or  
or  
or  
or

Other Than Small Entity	
Rate	Fee
	\$ 750
x\$18=	\$378
x\$84=	\$
+\$280=	\$
Total	\$1128

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